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Maury Dry Goods Store.

A Bigger Drive Than Ever After the Thanksgiving Rest.

On next SATURDAY and MONDAY

we will offer the following:

One line of Ladies' Capes, Fur Trimmed, \$1.50
One line of Ladies' Capes, Fur Trimmed, \$2.00
An elegant Walking Jacket at \$2.98

DRESS GOODS.

One line plaid Dress Goods at 10c
One line plaid Dress Goods at 15c
One line of plaid and plain Worsted in all colors at 17½c
The best all wool Blankets in town, a pair, at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00
We have a few more pairs of those Ladies' and Misses' Fine Shoes, with pointed toes, and they are good ones too, but take them at \$1.75
Also a few pairs of Men's Fine Shoes, some plain and some pointed toes, worth \$5.00 and \$6.00 a pair, but you get them at half price
Boys' and Misses' Ribbed Stockings for 9c
Boys' and Misses' Heavy Ribbed Hose, worth 20c, take them at 13c, or 2 for 25c
Ladies' Tan and Black Hose at 9c a pair, or 3 for 25c
Men's half-hose in mixed colors and good weight at 9c, or 3 for 25c

You see It pays you to trade with us.

Maury Dry Goods Co.

Maury County Teachers' Association.

The following programme has been arranged for the next regular meeting of the Maury County Teachers' Association to be held at the Columbia Public School building, Saturday, December 4.

Three Hundred Years Educational History in Germany. Miss Friel, Miss Floyd.

How Shall a Teacher Make Their Profession More Respected. Mr. D. T. Harris, Mr. Fitzgerald.

Our State in the Mexican War. Mr. A. C. Allen.

Current Topics. Miss Carpenter, Blanche Scott, Sec'y.

COFFEE!

Do we hear you say you are looking for a strictly good Coffee? Then try our Blend at six pounds for \$1.00. We have a better coffee than Arbuckle's or 4-X at eight pounds for \$1.00, and up to 35c per pound for the finest Mocha and Java. Try a can of Pears at 5c, 8c and 15c per can. We have just received a barrel of new crop sugar-house molasses which is strictly good at 50c per gallon. New Kraut, Hominy Grits, Oat Meal, Prunes, Peaches, Raisins, Cheese and Macaroni. If you are not already our customer give us a trial order. "SEE?"

Telephone 131. W. E. McKENNON.

Masonic.

Lafayette Chapter of Royal Arch Masons will hold a convocation in the Masonic Temple next Monday night at 7:30, for the work in the Most Excellent Masters' degree. The next stated meeting of Columbia Lodge, No. 31, F. and A. M. is next Thursday night.

OLD CUMBERLAND

Is our specialty, but we also handle block Jellico, Providence and other brands, and also wood. Prompt delivery, and special inducements to purchasers in large quantities. Yard near depot.

Telephone 82. W. H. DAVIS & CO., Successors to A. Adlison.

MARRIAGES.

William Swarengen Roberts to Miss Louise Sheegog.
James Fly to Miss Laura Stockard.
B. F. Potts to Miss Anna Baker.
Robert Thompson to Miss Sallie Cameron.
T. B. Register to Miss Mary Langford.
John Tice to Miss Nannie Pinkleton.
E. G. Johnson to Miss Emma Reeves.
J. S. Parks to Miss Hattie E. Odil.
Will Mooney to Miss Etta Branch.
W. D. Lovett to Miss Josie Hardison.

W. T. Wilkes and A. S. Derryberry, under the firm name of Wilkes & Derryberry, are now fully equipped and ready for business as undertakers. Location in the Brown Block on S. Main street.

PERSONALS.

Congressman N. N. Cox was here this week.

Miss King returned Wednesday to Chattanooga.

Mr. W. R. Hutton, of Shelbyville, was here this week.

Mrs. Will Barker is visiting her mother at Memphis.

Mrs. G. E. Snell, of Bowling Green, Ky., is visiting here.

Miss Elsie Olmstead has returned to her home in Chattanooga.

Mr. T. N. Jones has returned from a visit to relatives at Dresden.

Mrs. Annie McElmore visited her sister at Shelbyville, this week.

Mr. J. H. Zucarello, of Pulaski, was here several days this week.

Miss Mary Bennett left yesterday to visit her mother at Hartsville.

Miss Virginia Webster is on a visit to friends in Huntsville, Ala.

Mrs. Frank Everett and little son Ewing have returned from Pulaski.

Mr. C. J. (Aaron) White, of St. Louis, visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. Norman Kirkman, of Nashville, attended the Roberts-Sheegog wedding.

Mr. T. F. Fleming spent Thanksgiving with his family in Hopkinsville, Ky.

Allison Webster, of Nashville, has been on a visit to relatives in Columbia.

Miss Sadie Williams, of Water Valley, visited relatives in town this week.

Miss Nellie Williams, of Anniston, Ala., is visiting the family of Mr. A. J. Nichols.

Ed. Henderson, of Huntsville, Ala., has returned from a visit to his parents.

Misses Jane and Nannie Aydelott have returned to McCain's to reside in the future.

Hon. E. E. Eslick of Pulaski, was here Monday, sounding the Congressional waters.

Mrs. T. C. Petri and little daughter returned this week from a visit to Nashville friends.

Miss Mamie Johnson, of St. Louis, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Woldridge this week.

Miss Nina Seay has returned to Shreveport, La., after a visit to Mrs. J. P. McGaw, Jr.

Miss Olive Rogers, of Florence, Ala., will be the guest of Mrs. C. N. McElmore for several weeks.

Mr. Geo. E. McKennon, of the firm of McKennon, Anderson & Foster, left Monday on a business trip East.

Mrs. Johnson (nee Miss Stinnie Latta), of Murfreesboro, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sims Latta.

Misses Bessie and Eunice Lee, of Duplex, and Miss Howe, of Nashville, are guests of Miss Florence Farrell.

Monte Fariss, of Draughton's Business College, Nashville, spent several days with his parents here last week.

Misses Ruth and Laura Martin, after a pleasant visit to friends here, left Tuesday morning for their home in Memphis.

Mrs. A. S. Warren, of Nashville, returned home Wednesday, after a visit to friends and relatives in and near the city.

Messrs. W. A. Dale and F. W. Evans attended the German at the Hermitage Club, Nashville, Wednesday night.

Mrs. John McGavock, Mrs. Geo. Cowan and Miss Gentry of Franklin, were guests of Mrs. Ellen Dunnington this week.

Messrs. Geo. W. and Will Hayes, who were called to North Carolina by the death of their mother, returned home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McKinney returned Tuesday from their trip East. They will move to-morrow to their flat on West Seventh street.

Miss Jessie Gilchrist, of Alabama, who came to attend the Roberts-Sheegog marriage, returned Tuesday to Ward's Seminary, Nashville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mooney have returned from their bridal tour, and are boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Leneave, on Garden street.

Miss Lucy Moore, after a visit to her brother, Mr. John (Trotwood) Moore, returned Tuesday to Marion, Ala. Mr. Moore accompanied her as far as Birmingham.

Senator S. D. McEnery and wife, Mrs. Susie Calloway and Mrs. Thos. Sholars, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hatcher, returned this week to Louisiana.

Miss Janie Trimble will leave in a short time for Cincinnati, where she will take a course of study in the art museum there. Miss Trimble's numerous friends wish for her much success in her chosen work.

Messrs. Frank Shoup, John (Trotwood) Moore, F. D. Lander, W. A. Dale, E. S. Fowler, Will Ridley, Dr. Meadors, and Mrs. Fred Fisher were among the number from Columbia who attended the football game at Nashville yesterday.

Rev. A. C. Killheffer and family left this week for Harriman, Tenn., where they will spend several days visiting relatives before going to their future home at Shamoken, Pa., where Mr. Killheffer has accepted the rectory of a church.

Mr. Killheffer, who has been rector of St. Peter's church for nearly two years, has made many friends during his stay here, who regret to see him and his family leave. Last Sunday morning the choir boys of St. Peter's, in token of their esteem for their rector, presented him with a handsome gold-headed cane.

Handsome Gifts.

For ladies, gents, wives, mothers, brothers, sisters, sweethearts, uncles, aunts, cousins, sons, daughters and friends at JAMES BROS., Jewelers, nov26-4c

Business Personal.

Mr. Geo. E. McKennon, buyer for McKennon, Anderson & Foster, will return to-morrow from an Eastern trip. Look out for something good.

Our Opening.

We are daily receiving the largest and handsomest line of

Wedding and

Holiday Gifts

we have ever shown, and prices are lower than we have ever made. You are cordially invited to inspect them. It's a pleasure to us to show goods.

RAINS, THE DRUGGIST.

RELIGIOUS NEWS.

Rev. W. T. Ussery occupied the pulpit of the South Columbia Methodist Church last Sunday morning and night. Rev. W. D. Wendel has returned from Mississippi, and will fill his regular appointments next Sunday.

Rev. J. H. Thompson preached an excellent sermon in the First Methodist Church last Sunday night, in the absence of Rev. D. C. Kelley, who has been assisting in a revival meeting at McKendree Church, Nashville.

Mr. J. Paul Slayden, son of Dr. Slayden of Pinewood, Tenn., has been called to the Christian Church at this place, and began his work last Sunday. He comes directly from the University of Kentucky, and we hope will be able to accomplish much good here.

The King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. G. W. Jackson on Dec. 2, at 3 o'clock. Topic, "What God Giveth."

The protracted meeting at the Baptist Church this week, which is being conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Thompson, has been attended by good-sized audiences, and some excellent sermons are being delivered.

Rev. A. C. Killheffer closed his work as rector of St. Peter's Church last Sunday, and has gone to Pennsylvania, where he has accepted the rectory of a church. Mr. Killheffer has been rector of St. Peter's church for nearly two years, and proved himself to be an excellent pastor.

Dr. Kelley, who has been assisting in a revival meeting at McKendree church, Nashville, will return and occupy his pulpit next Sabbath.

Rev. Yonan, a native of Persia and an ordained minister of the Southern Presbyterian church, has been in Columbia for several days in the interest of the foreign mission work of his church. He made addresses to four audiences while here; Sunday morning and night to the congregations of the First Presbyterian church; Monday afternoon to an audience of ladies in the same church, and Tuesday afternoon to the Muck Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church.

Rev. Mr. Barr, of Harriman, Tenn., will officiate at St. Peter's Church next Sunday.

The First Baptist, First Cumberland Presbyterian, First Methodist and Main Street C. P. Churches held a union Thanksgiving service yesterday beginning at 11 a. m. in the First Methodist church. The First Presbyterian church also held Thanksgiving services beginning at the same hour.

Tennessee Conference, Columbia District, First Round of Quarterly Meetings for 1897-8.

Cedar Grove Nov. 27, 28, 29
Pulaski Nov. 28, 29
Bethel Dec. 1, 2
Diana Dec. 4, 5
South Columbia Dec. 10, 12
Southport Dec. 11, 12
Mt. Pleasant Dec. 18, 19
Rehoboth Dec. 25, 26
Booths Dec. 29
Lynnville Jan. 1, 2
Cullum Jan. 8, 9
Mooreville Jan. 9, 10
District stewards meet in church at Pulaski, Friday, November 5, at 10:30 a. m. J. R. STUART, P. E.

Christmas Fruit Cake.

We have everything for making them. Currants, Raisins, Figs, Nuts, Citron, Crystallized Cherries and Pineapple, etc., and will sell them cheaper than any house in town.

New open Kettle N. O. Molasses, 45c per gallon.
New Kraut, Pigs Feet and Mackerel, 8 lbs better coffee than 4-X or Arbuckle's, for \$1.00
10 lbs best seed-tick green coffee \$1.00
New Orleans Molasses, per gallon, 15c
14 lbs new Leaf Lard \$1.00
3-crown raisins 10c lb, or 3 lb for 25c
Buy your Christmas candy from us as we are having made to our order over 200 lbs Christmas candy. Special inducements in large lots.

WHITE & DAINWOOD, Bell Telephone 24. North Main Street.

Fingers Amputated. George Calvert, an employee at Oakes' furniture factory, had his thumb and little finger cut off while at work last Friday.

Miss Nellie Carroll announces the completeness of her Fall stock, which has been selected with great care from among the leading importing houses in the country. The latest creations and the choicest novelties shown.

ENTRANCE through store of McKennon, Anderson & Foster.

AROUND TOWN.

Buy your trunks at Henry Gross'. Mr. Lynch Perry is able to be out after a spell of illness.

Mr. Ed Turner, we are sorry to state, has been on the sick list this week.

Call on W. J. Guest & Co. for pure country lard.

W. J. Webster, Esq., was on the sick list several days the past week.

Buy nobby neckwear at HENRY GROSS'.

All the banks, schools and a number of business houses were closed yesterday.

See notice from Mr. W. W. Dennis, the South Main street grocer, elsewhere in this paper.

Mrs. Jas. H. White has been quite sick this week, but we are glad to report her improving.

Miss Nareissa Williams, who had her ankle sprained several weeks since, is able to be out on crutches.

Don't wait till the great rush; make your selections now while you can be waited on. JAMES BROS. nov26-2t

W. T. Wilkes can rent or sell you the best of organs and pianos. See him before buying.

Tom Baird, the negro who was scalded at W. J. Guest & Co's. slaughter pen last summer, is able to be out.

A mule attached to one of the City Grain & Feed Co's. wagons dropped dead from heart disease on the street Monday.

The foundation is being laid to the new Cumberland Presbyterian Church, corner South Main and Eleventh streets.

Judge E. D. Locney is the happy father of a twelve-pound boy baby, which came to brighten his home last Wednesday night.

There's nothing like a thankful heart. The individual who has one has a treasure; and the person who has not a thankful heart is to be pitied.

Work on the water tank at the depot is progressing rapidly. When this is finished it will make a great improvement on the water service in that part of town.

Prosperity is here in one line at least. During the past week marriage licenses have been issued to eighteen couples in Maury County.

A wise man considers stock, finish and price. A foolish man considers price. I have the three right on cemetery work. Call and be convinced. S. P. PAYNE, Telephone 57. Columbia, Tenn.

While in town last Thursday night, the horse hitched to the buggy of Jeff Dugger, of McCain's, became frightened and ran away. Jeff was thrown out and the buggy badly damaged, but fortunately he escaped unhurt.

At the meeting of the Middle Tennessee Medical Association at Murfreesboro last Friday, Dr. Hazel Padgett, of this city, was placed in nomination for re-election as Secretary, but upon stating that he would be compelled to be in Europe next May, his name was withdrawn, and Dr. Cliff Atchison, of Nashville, was elected to fill the place.

Anthony Satterfield and his wife, both colored, could not agree in their domestic affairs, and the latter appealed to Judge Erwin to settle their troubles. Anthony was brought to trial Wednesday morning, and a light fine was imposed upon him. He stated that his wife didn't want him and didn't want anybody else to have him, and she had aggravated him so that he had been forced to whip her.

Dock Carr and Sue Lee Carr, both colored, are two persons who evidently believe in following the precepts of the old adage, "It at first you don't succeed, etc." On the marriage license book, in the county court clerk's office, the following note appears alongside their names: "This couple has been married once before, were divorced, and are getting married the second time. So says the groom.—J. F. Wiley, Clerk."

Mr. J. M. Tucker had a narrow escape last Friday morning at the depot. While standing on the house-track watching No. 4 pull out, the switch-engine commenced moving, and before he could be warned, struck him and knocked him down. Fortunately, some bystanders pulled him out of the way, and prevented what might have been a serious accident. As it was, his ankle was sprained by being caught under the step, and he has been forced to walk on crutches since.

Buy dry goods at HENRY GROSS'.

If You Have a Horse or Cow,

We have the stuff to feed them on. We have recently received several car loads of sweet baled Timothy Hay.

Shelled Oats and Corn always on hand.

The Groceries at this store are of the best grades and fresh. Our prices are right.

Give us a call,

Frierson & Embry, Phone 107.

LIVE STOCK NOTES.

Vaughn & Alexander shipped two loads of hogs from Godwin and two loads of cattle from Columbia this week.

Mr. Stroud, of Atlanta, bought one load of mules from T. H. Williams and another load from other parties last week.

Will Frierson shipped a load of mules to Atlanta yesterday.

John Barrow sold eight fancy steers to Alexander & Vaughn this week.

There is a better demand at present for good, heavy mules.

Our Holiday Stock, Is very complete, the finest ever shown in Columbia. Look us over, sure; before you buy. nov26-2t JAMES BROS.

IT PAYS TO WAIT.

There are some things we cannot do. The big rush is now on and will continue until Christmas. We frequently find it impossible to wait upon all of our customers promptly, especially during the middle of the day. We hope you will bear with us patiently, for we assure you, you will be fully paid for any inconvenience you may suffer. We are having a larger trade than ever before, which makes us believe our

Prices are right.

Our Capes and Jackets

are the popular price kind—they appeal to economical buyers, and are models of stylish, up-to-date wraps. Never have we had such a

CARPET TRADE.

You will make a mistake if you buy FLOOR COVERINGS before seeing our line. New

Rugs, Carpets and Mattings

have just been added, making this department more complete than ever.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING

is now offered at remarkably low prices, as broken lots are being closed without reserve.

Men's Suits and Overcoats,

in more weaves, styles and sizes, than can be found anywhere else, while our prices are simply below competition.

J. ROSENTHAL.

WEDDING BELLS.

Fly—Stockard.

On Thursday evening of last week, November 18, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stockard, near Lipscomb, Miss Laura Dillard Stockard, was united in wedlock to Mr. Andrew James Fly, Rev. Ernest Timmons, of Nashville, officiating in a beautiful and unique ceremony, in the presence of many guests.

After the extension of a shower of congratulations and good wishes, a sumptuous feast followed, and festivity and feasting reigned supreme. Every eye beamed with happiness, and the wee small hours passed all too swiftly by. Even the stars seemed delighted to keep their morning watch over so happy an occasion, and the wind and weather were as nicely tempered as if they had been made to order.

The many beautiful and valuable presents given attested the high esteem and respect in which they are held by their many friends.

Miss Laura is a talented young lady, beautiful and polished, and will be loyal and true to the one she has chosen for her life companion. The groom has fine business attainments, is industrious and energetic, and is a true, tender hearted gentleman, and will be a husband worthy the excellent woman he has won. May God's richest blessings crown them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Timmons extended a cordial invitation to the wedding guests to attend a reception at their pleasant home at Godwin, from 2 to 4 p. m., and a royal feast it was, consisting of all the delicious viands usually served on such occasions.

Mooney—Branch.

Wednesday evening last, at 8:30 o'clock, Miss Etta Branch and Mr. W. A. Mooney were quietly united in marriage at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Eugene Guest, on Galloway street, the ceremony being said in an impressive manner by Rev. W. D. Wendel. The bride was handsomely attired in a gown of brown silk and carried a large bunch of American Beauty roses in her hand. Messrs. W. D. Cameron, Jr., and Herbert Guest attended the bridal pair on the floor. The bride is one of South Columbia's most estimable young ladies, and is admired by a large circle of friends. The groom is an upright, industrious young man, and is now in the employ of the L. & N. railroad. The friends of both parties wish for them all the happiness that married life can give. Mr. and Mrs. Mooney will make their home for the present at the residence of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mooney, on Galloway street.

Mitchell—Tarbet.

Mr. Joseph L. Mitchell, formerly of the Bear Creek neighborhood, this country, was united in marriage to Miss Bertie Tarbet, of Saltillo, Tenn., Wednesday, Nov. 24, at 2 p. m. The groom is the son of Mr. W. H. Mitchell, of this county, and has numerous friends who wish him and his bride a happy wedded life. Miss Fannie Mitchell and Mr. Davis Mitchell, the groom's sister and brother, attended the marriage from this county. In announcing the marriage, the Savannah Courier says:

"Announcements are out for the marriage of Miss Bertie Tarbet and Mr. Jos. L. Mitchell at the elegant home of the bride's parents at Saltillo next Wednesday the 24th, at 2 p. m. They go at once to Clifton where they will reside. The bride is the daughter of E. E. Tarbet one

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us pleasure to see you in

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Your friends.

Woldridge & Irvine,

DRUGGISTS.

of the most wealthy and prominent citizens of this county, a pure, sweet Christian woman, gifted with many rare accomplishments and personal attractions, and her marriage is of special interest in this section. Mr. Mitchell is the popular representative of W. B. Belknap & Co., of Louisville, an excellent young man, and is to be congratulated."

Alexander—Witherspoon.

Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, Mr. W. E. Alexander and Miss Lena Witherspoon drove to the South Columbia Methodist parsonage, where they were united in marriage in the presence of a few relatives and friends by Rev. W. D. Wendel. The marriage was not a runaway affair, but it was quite a surprise to their friends. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Alexander, on Fourth street, where they were tendered a nice reception. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Witherspoon, who live a short distance from town on the Santa Fe pike, and the groom is a valued employee of the L. & N. railroad. Both parties have numerous friends who wish for them much happiness and prosperity.

Odell—Parks.

Miss Hattie Odell, of Spring Hill, and Mr. J. S. Parks, of Sterrett, Texas, were married